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SUBJECT: TJOKROPRANOLO NAMED GOVERNOR OF JAKARTA

1. LT GEN. TJOKROPRANOLO, CURRENTLY MILITARY SECRETARY TO PRESIDENT SUHARTO, HAS BEEN NAMED ACTING GOVERNOR OF JAKARTA EFFECTIVE JULY 11, REPLACING ALI SADIKIN. TJOKROPRANOLO WILL SERVE IN AN "ACTING" CAPACITY UNTIL THE FORMAL PROCESS OF PERMANENT APPOINTMENT, INVOLVING HIS NOMINATION BY THE REGIONAL PEOPLE'S REPRESENTATIVE ASSEMBLY (DPRD), IS COMPLETED. ALTHOUGH BY REGULATION THE DPRD MUST NOMINATE AT LEAST TWO (AND AS MANY AS FIVE) CANDIDATES, TJOKROPRANOLO'S ULTIMATE SELECTION IS ALMOST A CERTAINTY.

2. COMMENT: WHEN TJOKROPRANOLO ASSUMES OFFICE IN THREE WEEKS, PRESIDENT SUHARTO FOR THE FIRST TIME WILL HAVE A SUBORDINATE OF UNQUESTIONED PERSONAL LOYALTY IN CHARGE OF THE CAPITAL CITY. WHILE THE PRESS AND PUBLIC WILL MISS SADIKIN'S FREE-WHEELING (AND SOMETIMES ABRASIVE) STYLE, AND WHILE THE GOVERNMENT IN GENERAL WILL SUFFER THE LOSS OF HIS INNOVATIVE AND CATALYTIC ADMINISTRATIVE ABILITIES, RELATIONS BETWEEN THE JAKARTA ADMINISTRATION AND THE PALACE AT LEAST WILL BE SMOOTHER. AS FOR SADIKIN HIMSELF, IT IS WIDELY RUMORED

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THAT HE HAS ALREADY REFUSED TO CONSIDER ACCEPTING ANY AMBASSADORSHIPS, AND OTHER SIGNIFICANT GOVERNMENT JOBS HAVE APPARENTLY NOT BEEN OFFERED. HE MAY NOT BE PUT ON MILITARY ASSIGNMENT TO THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT (HANKAM), WITHOUT PORTFOLIO OR DUTIES, DEVOTING HIMSELF TO THE PURSUIT OF PRIVATE BUSINESS AFFAIRS, AND BIDDING HIS TIME POLITICALLY.

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